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1. persons employed in Chinese Communist government offices received the following monthly salaries:
 - a. Lower class staff, approximately 200 catties of millet
 - b. Middle class staff, 300 to 400 catties of millet
 - c. Upper class staff, 500 to 600 catties of millet
2. Salaries were paid according to the prevailing price of millet which in early May was approximately JMP 1,000 per catty. A professor teaching at a government university received only JMP 700,000 to JMP 800,000 per month. Staff members of some Tientsin business firms received approximately JMP 1,000,000 per month.

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